

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

MINES & MINERALS – Mining Lease for Silica Sand over an extent of Acs.51.00 gts., in Sy.No.321 of Kothapatnam Village, Kota Mandal, SPSR Nellore District held by Smt. P. Devasena lapsed under Rule 28 (1) of Mineral Concession Rules, 1960 - Orders – Issued.

INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE (M-I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 70

Dated:05.8.2013
Read the following:

1. G.O.Ms.No.269, Inds. & Com. (M.I) Dept, dated 06.11.2004
2. From the Director of Mines & Geology, Hyderabad File No.45776/R3-1/11, dated 27.12.2011.
3. Govt. Memo No. 15992/M.I(2)/2011, dated 19.01.2012
4. Representation from Smt P. Devasena, dated 31.01.2012.
5. From the Director of Mines & Geology, Hyderabad File No.45776/R3-1/2011, Dated 26.06.2013.

O R D E R :

In the reference 1st read above, Government have granted the Mining Lease for Silica Sand over an extent of 51.00 acres in Sy. No.321 of Kothapatnam Village, Kota Mandal, SPSR Nellore District in favour of Smt. P. Devasena. The Mining Lease deed was executed on 3-5-2005 and the Asst. Director of Mines & Geology, Nellore has issued work orders on 6.9.2005 and the lease will be in force upto 02-5-2025.

2. In the reference 3rd read above, based on the recommendations of the Director of Mines & Geology, a show cause notice issued to the lessee under Rule 28 (1) of M.C. Rules, 1960 as the above Mining Lease is not working more than two years and certain other lapses mentioned therein.

3. In reply to the Govt. Show cause notice memo, dated 19.01.2012, Smt. P. Devasena has submitted her reply stating that, due to hurdles created by surrounding land owners and some local labours, they could not conduct the mining operations and now they have convinced them. They are going to erect the boundary pillars which were removed by them and also will submit the Scheme of Mining as early as possible. She has further stated that, they are going to establish a mineral based industry near to the subject area which may provide employment to the local people and more revenues to the Department and requested to drop action proposed against the Mining Lease.

4. In the reference 5th read above, the Director of Mines & Geology, has reported that, If the lease holder is not in a position to continue the Mining operations for the reasons beyond her control, she has to submit an application to the Government under rule 28-A(1) of M.C. Rules, 1960 explaining the reasons for the same at least within six months from the date of its lapse. The lease deed executed on 3-5-2005, and discontinued from 25-8-2008, and the lease lapsed by 24-5-2010, and the 6 months period expires by 24-2-2011. Hence the reply of the leaseholder deserves no consideration. The DM&G has therefore requested the Government to declare the Mining Lease held by Smt. P. Devasena for Silica Sand over an extent of 51.00 acres in Sy. No.321 of Kothapatnam Village, Kota Mandal, SPSR Nellore as lapsed w.e.f 24-8-2010 under Rule, 28(1) of M.C. Rules, 1960, to enable the District Collector, SPSR Nellore to hand over the same to APIIC.

(P.T.O.)

5. Government after careful examination of the Proposal of the Director of Mines & Geology, Hyderabad, hereby declare the Mining Lease held by Smt. P. Devasena for Silica Sand over an extent of 51.00 acres in Sy. No.321 of Kothapatnam Village, Kota Mandal, SPSR Nellore as lapsed w.e.f. 24-8-2010 under Rule, 28(1) of M.C. Rules, 1960, for the reasons mentioned in above paras.

6. The Director of Mines & Geology and District Collector, SPSR Nellore shall take further necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

SABYASACHI GHOSH
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

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The Director of Mines & Geology, Hyderabad (with file)
The Collector & District Magistrate, Nellore, SPSR Nellore District.

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The Director General, Mines Safety, Dhanbad, Jarkand.
The Regional Controller of Mines, Koti, Hyderabad.
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SECTION OFFICER